

LOCAL.

A special meeting of the St. Andrew's Society was held Wednesday, at which committees were appointed and other arrangements made for the celebration of the anniversary of Robert Bruce's birthday on the 20th inst., by a ball and supper.

Mr. George Davis, in his paper, was anxious on Tuesday to go before the Stipendiary next morning in order to swear to an affidavit in connection with a letter signed by Mr. E. P. Davis, which appeared in last Monday's issue. The order of the court was obeyed Wednesday morning under protest.

The great trial authority on the North-west is the following with regard to the rebel Indians in Stony Mountain--"Big Bear is learning to be a carpenter. He has a fine pair of hands, and great steadiness, and it would be hard to read in his deep black eyes the longing for the side of the Indians, and the use of the trusty rifle." Swift shagapans is good.

At a meeting held Wednesday in the Royal Hotel Mr. Reilly read a draft of a petition to the Minister of Public Works, pointing out the reasons which necessitate the immediate construction of a bridge across Bow River. A committee composed of Messrs. Kelly, Jas. Martin, Monclay and Lyman was appointed to circulate the petition, which it is thought should be ready for transmission to Ottawa by next mail.

The Saskatchewan Herald of the fourth inst. has the following from its telegrapher--"Calgary, Feb. 21. Judge Tracy has endorsed the arrest of Mr. Cayley, who refuses to apologize." The Calgary people think Cayley is insane and will ask for a commission to enquire into his case.

The number of horses to be removed from Calgary and the barrels packed down. It must have some source of information in Calgary, which we have not yet been able to obtain.

Mr. Amos Howe, as sub-collector of customs for the port of Calgary, has been appointed to the district of Chinookan, and of a post residing in the district has to pay a fee of \$4, and everyone coming in hereafter one of \$5. The latter class have also to obtain a medical certificate that they are free from leprosy and other contagious diseases, and in Chinook prove that they are to be admitted at all.

Mr. George Davis, while Mr. G. cold was riding on a horse breed from one of the river stables in town, the animal made a bolt for its stable and unseated its rider by jumping the switch at the Y. Miss G. cold was riding on a horse which had not been tamed. She had to be conveyed home in an express wagon but we understand that she is not of so nervous a nature as to give any grounds for alarm.

A corse consisting of numerous vehicles and mounted in a procession the remains of John Macleod, the rector of the Anglican Church, who died recently, were being carried to the Fish Creek about 11 a.m. on Saturday, the procession reached Calgary about one o'clock, and crossing the Elbow at the mission fort, proceeded through the town to the Roman Catholic Church. Many leading citizens joined the party in town and the third service of the day was in the little chapel of the Mission. After service had been performed in the building the remains were deposited in the Roman Catholic churchyard close by. Messrs. Livingston, Shaw, Bishop, Verner, and Blyth attended a pall bearing a large funeral has not yet been seen in Calgary.

The deceased left no will and the estate will in consequence be administered by the Court of Chancery.

The regular meeting of the Conservative Association took place Tuesday night. The chief business on hand was the election of officers for the ensuing year. The following gentlemen were elected to office--Mr. Millward, President; Dr. Lindsay, 1st Vice President; Mr. Lessou, 2nd Vice President; Mr. C. Watson, Sec-Treasurer; Executive Committee--Messrs. McMillan, Dr. C. C. Hunter, Mr. S. S. and Mortimer. A resolution was adopted expressing the gratification of the meeting at the recovery to health of their former President, Mr. G. B. Elliott. A Committee of five, composed of Messrs. McMillan, Dr. Lindsay, Mr. Hunter, Mr. S. S. and Mortimer was appointed to draw up a petition with regard to the claims against the Government incurred during the late rebellion still outstanding in this district. A special meeting to enable members to sign the constitution of the Association will be called at an early date.

A Budget of Accidents.

A man named Johnson broke his leg Thursday about one o'clock in the afternoon in Bain Bros. Livery Stable. He was mounting a horse behind the building when the animal started back and fell, throwing him to the ground, breaking his leg at its center, broke Johnson's left leg. The injured man was conveyed to McLeod's boarding house, where his leg was set.

Frank Lowe, an employee of the British American Ranch Co., was badly sprained Thursday evening by his horse slipping and falling with him as he was taking it to be shod.

Mr. Hall, book-keeper of the British American Ranch Co., from both hands and arms riding in from the Big Hill to Calgary.

Personal.

We are glad to report that our old fellow townsmen Mr. G. B. Elliott is fully restored to health again, and hopes to resume his pen shortly.

Mr. Chapman left for the east to-day.

Mr. John Costigan, the recently appointed Crown prosecutor, arrived in Calgary yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman of the Sagebrush Inn and Mrs. Vaughan came in to our city yesterday.

Dr. Ladd has had a successful operation on a patient at the

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